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STANDARDIZED AND AUTOMATED  
APPEALS PROCESS

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Examiner: R. W. Morgan

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

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Madam:

In response to the Examiner's Answer dated December 9, 2008, please withdraw the appeal and amend the application as follows.

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